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Toronto, Ontario, Canada

CANADA

#50, Scarce 1/2c 1897 Jubilee, Cat. \$1.00.	
Fine used, but a little off-centre.	\$.40
#51, 1897 1c Jubilee, Mint, but little off-centre	.05
#84 2 on 3c Maple Leaf, Cat. .20. Fine used	.12
#85 2 on 3c Numeral, Cat. .15, fine used	.08
#96 1/2c Quebec, fine mint copies	.05
#158-Scarce 1928 50c Bluenose, good used copies	.30
#159-\$1.00 Parliament Bldg., good used copies	.30
#170-1930, 20c Resper, fine used	.04
#171-1930, 50c Grand Pre, Fine used	.10
#171-As above, but St. Edge, nice copies	.05
#172-1930, \$1.00 Mt. Edith Cavell, fine used	.30
#172-As above, but st. edge, good clean copies	.15
#195-201, 1932 Medallion set, cpl. 1 to 13c fine	.10
#203-20c Regina Grain Conf. Scarce, fine used	.18
#261-20c Special Delivery, 1922, good copies	.07
#263-20c Special Delivery, 130, good copies	.07

The following are in average condition, whether used or mint.
No Damaged copies among them.

#70-5c Q. V. Maple Leaf, used, cat. .12	.04
#72-8c Q. V. Maple Leaf, used, cat. .30	.10
#80-8c Q. V. Numeral, Scarce one, cat. .75	.25
#81-10c Q. V. Numeral, cat. .20	.07
#203-20c Regina Grain Conf. st. edge, etc.	.10
#195-201, 1932 Medallion set, cpl. 1 to 13c	.08
#14-1859, 1c Rose, cat. .85, Limited Qty.	.30
#35-1872, 6c yellow brown, cat. .50	.15
#44-1882 8c Red Brown, cat. .75, Scarce	.25
#45-1892, 8c Gray, cat. .20	.07
#101-10c Quebec, cat. \$1.00 and scarce, mint	.40
#103-20c Quebec, cat. \$1.50, 1935, Scarce and mint	.85
#82 or 3-1898 Map Stamps, Mint, little off-centre	.10

1934 COMMEMORATIVES

3c Blue, Cartier, large size, mint.	.05
As Above, fine used	.02
10c United Empire Loyalist, Mint	.15
As Above-Fine used	.06
2c New Brunswick, large size, ship stamp, Mint	.04
As Above, fine used	.02

FIRST DAY COVER-SPECIAL

Few collectors knew about the new 2c New Brunswick stamp in time to secure their first-day covers, and as a result, quantities are extremely limited.

Only two cities in the Dominion of Canada placed this new stamp on sale on its official first-day of issue, August 16th. The cities were Ottawa, Ont., and St. John, New Brunswick.

I have been fortunate in securing a few of these covers and can offer them, with a single stamp on, only, as follows-

Ottawa, Ont., or St. John, N. B., either cover	\$1.00
The two covers, one from each city, per pair	1.50

1934 POSTAGE DUES

1c Bilingual type, just recently issued, mint.	.02
2-4 and 10c new type, mint.	.20

NEW RETAIL PRICE LIST OF CANADA

A number of important price changes have been made necessary, due to diminishing sources of supply, especially among many of the recently obsolete pictorials, which are becoming very scarce in fine used condition. The wise collector should fill in those blank spaces at once; prices are bound to go still higher at an early date.

THE LIST IS FREE-SEND FOR YOUR COPY NOW.

REMITTANCE MUST be made by either post office money order or currency. Absolutely no mint stamps or checks. All orders under \$5.00 post extra. \$10.00 or over, registration free.

BRITISH COLONIALS

These beautiful pictorial issues of the various Colonies are selling like hot-cakes. If you put off securing your set, you may find it's too late.

Buy now, and be sure of it—prices are reasonable, and condition superb. Many more new issues are to appear shortly, and if you want to be sure of them all, why not place your definite order, now. Look up last month's Linn's special edition, for details of my new issue service.

Ascension Is., all bi-colored, 8 vars. to 1/-	\$1.00
As above, 9 varieties to 2/6	1.85
As above, 10 Vars. complete to the 5/-	3.50
St. Helena, beautiful new Commems., 7 vars. to 1/-	.85
As above, 8 vars. to 2/6	1.75
As above, 9 vars. to 5/-	3.25
As above, 10 vars. to 10/- the cpl. set.	6.25
Nyasaland Prot. large and attractive, 7 to 1/-	.85
Australia Victory Centenary, 2d, 3d, and 1/- Cpl.	.50
Irish Free State, 2d, G. A. A. Commem.	.07
Falkland Islands, 1933 Centenary issue cpl to £1	
two sets, only, very hard to get now	30.00

LAST CHANCE-FOREIGN NEW ISSUES-TO CLEAR

Belgium, 1935 Exhibition set, 4 Pictorials, cpl.	.30
Costa Rica Airmails, large and attractive, 6 var.	.40
As above, 8 varieties to 60c	.80
As above, 9 varieties to 75c	1.25
Jugoslavia, new pictorial airmails, 4 vars.	.25
Netherlands, Charity issue, 2 vars. cpl.	.20
Ecuador, quaint Mountain scene, 5 vars.	.18
Greece, Air Mail, 3 vars. bi-colored	.10
Russia-Commemorative Airmails, 5 var. Cpl. unwmkd.	.45
As above, but wmkd., both sets are used	.45
Uruguay, Republic Commems., 5 var. to 20c	.50
As above, 7 var. to 50c	1.25
As above, 8 vars. to 1 peso	1.85
Eritrea, the new pictorials, 4 vars.	.10

BRITISH COLONIALS—FINE USED

Egypt, 1928, £1, #140, Cat. \$3.00, Scarce	1.50
Northern Rhodesia, 1925, 1/4d. to 6d. and 1/- 8 vals.	.40
Nyasaland Prot. #32, 2/- K. Geo. Scarce, cat. \$1.00.	.45
As above, #32-5-K. G. 2/-; 2/6; 4/-; 5/-; Cat. \$6.25	2.75
Tanganyika, #19, 1/- Giraffe, Scarce, cat. \$1.00.	.60
Kedah, 13 vars. 1c to \$1.00, very attractive, cat. \$2.43	.75

WHOLESALE CANADA

New price list now ready—ask for yours at once. There are some offers you simply cannot afford to overlook.

THESE NEW COMMEMORATIVES

Should turn out alright—their general condition is poor, so many being badly off-centre—the remainder being good copies will quickly be absorbed by dealers and collectors. Don't miss out on them by waiting for the price to drop any further—it isn't likely to.

USED COPIES	per 100	per 1000
3c Cartier—first grade	.90	7.50
3c Cartier, 2nd grade, incl. S. E.	.60	5.00
10c U. E. L. 1sts	3.00	25.00
10c U. E. L. 2nds, No S. E.	1.75	15.00
2c New Brunswick, 1sts	.75	6.00
2c New Brunswick, 2nds, No S. E.	.50	4.00

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Well, What Do You Know?

Only a month or so ago, we seem to remember, that the covers of the various Journals of Philately were simply bulging with the righteous and indignant criticism of the Collector. —And why not? We took the POD out of the red, didn't we? Yesh, we can remember 'way back in the early days of stamp collecting when they left Mother's feet out, cramped the style of the St. Mary's, issued ungummed imperf souvenirs, et cetera, and what not! We sure got a real Kick out of Kicking, remember? Each of us tried to complain the more. Not a single issue got by without the closest scrutiny.

But by that time General Jim had firmly established himself as GPM—and was concerned. So he calls a grand mass meeting in DC and makes a speech. Says he—"There are 10 million stamp collectors in this country. I know, for I've recd over 9 million complaints about Mother's feet. Now 10 million is some vote and we've got to corral it. But stamp collectors are not politicians, so let's give 'em stamps. Now, everybody write down their suggestion for a new stamp and we'll issue all of them". The General was not entirely satisfied as the total for the year didn't quite reach sixty,—and this included Santa Claus, just as a last gasp.

No one was just quite certain whether or not the Collector would take kindly to the Dollar Duck, so just to make sure, they threw in a few twisted transfers and omitted "F" (say, what is an "F" anyhow?) from the Wisc, shoved a cloud up over El Capitan, and stuck an extra transfer over GC. That ought to hold 'em till football season at least, then we'll let the Army and Navy have 'em. But, just in case, stand by with the Presidentials and start shoving them at the first squawk. We can't stand for criticism of our art department, any more.

Well, "orders is orders", and can we take it? But seriously, fellow collector, do you not really think that the deluge of philatelic specimens (stamps) issued to us during the past sixteen months are something to be proud of? Think how, when your beard approaches the proportions of Hayes or Harrison, you can say to the annual convention of your local Philatelic Association—"I remember when—". Honestly now, is not the Wisconsin a wonder? Do you believe, as I do, that the Parks series will receive international recognition for their beauty? Further, with no reports available, let us predict that the Presidentials, when and if, will replace the "Series of 1902" as the popular issue of regulars.

Again,—since March, 1933, we can count the issued and more or less definitely anticipated issues, as three Air Mail with a face of 72c; and nine special issues of twenty-three stamps having a face of 92c. A total of \$1.64 or 10c per month. Reasoning that a single specimen of each available issue constitutes a complete collection, contrast this with the Columbians with a face value of \$16.34. Or compare the Parks at 55c with the Omaha at \$3.80. We may be having a large number of new issues to absorb, but surely, the POD is making it as easy to bear as possible. One more,—let us say that the CP imperf at a dollar may have been a "hang-over" from White Plains, whereas the 18c Blue-Byrds were "our own idea" for the "Forgotten Stamp Collector."

Truly, we are Collectors of Stamps. Therefore, DC will humor us, but in such a way that we may be able, financially, to bear the burden of keeping abreast. Developments and releases since our philatelically controlled government in Washington became acclimated, seem to indicate that the second Zepp Junket and the large CP souvenirs may have been mistakes or were spontaneous issues of established precedent. FDR said

that he did not expect to be able to "bat 1000 pct.",—who can? We do have to give DC credit for building up the volume and appearance of our albums, at a minimum of cost. Let's quit our kicking about water over the dam and boost awhile. How about a new kind of a cachet?—A surprise letter of appreciation to the GPM expressing your appreciation of the recent issues,—or don't you like 'em? At least, it's a good way to get rid of a straight-edge. But, if you do, be sure and mention the new size, he would be interested to know if you appreciate the extra half-cent per hundred that these cost the Bureau.

Well, so long; 'be seeing you at the stamp window—.

—CHIPS.

Special Flight for AAMS Convention

A special demonstration air flight was scheduled for the benefit of the members of the American Air Mail Society in convention at Chicago, August 30 to September 1.

Arrangements were made whereby the Braniff Air Lines, A. M. 9, were to run a special plane to carry the first official air mail between the Century of Progress Post Office and the Chicago Municipal Airport. Pouches were to be picked up and delivered by a non-stop airplane by use of the Adams Devices. The pickup at the fair was to be from the center of the Lagoon.

An artistic cover was provided for collectors, and it is believed that there was an official cachet.

A telegram regarding this event came just too late to get into last week's paper, which would have been in time to have permitted many collectors in all parts of the country getting covers on this special flight.

U. S. Stamp Pictures

A few weeks ago Linn's Weekly printed a brief note calling attention to the fact that the Falls pictured on the current 25c U. S. Postage stamp were the Canadian Falls or Horseshoe Falls of Niagara. Mention was made of the fact that when it was found that a recent Philippine stamp had an American waterfall pictured on it the stamp was withdrawn. Yet the Post-office Department is content to picture a foreign waterfalls on our postage stamps.

Now Mr. Ripley pictures the current 25c stamp in his syndicated newspaper feature illustration "Believe It or Not!" This syndicated feature is published in the Hearst newspapers. We also note that it is registered in the U. S. Patent Office. What we do not know however is how Mr. Ripley or the newspaper can print pictures of United States Postage stamps and when a stamp dealer or publisher even prints anything that someone thinks someone else might think, looks like a postage stamp, official Washington begins to buzz.

Clippings of this Ripley feature, which by the way Mr. Ripley fails to credit to Linn's Weekly, came to us from a dozen or more readers from all parts of the country.

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A Real United States Catalog at Last

Announcement of the regular Scott Catalog for September 10th has been made in the Philatelic Press and doubtless collectors are eagerly awaiting their new book.

Now comes an announcement that will be hailed with greater delight by the thousands of collectors in these United States who seem to think that collecting United States stamps is about all that they can manage.

The new United States Catalogue will not be designated as a Specialized Catalogue. On the other hand it will become a complete catalogue of United States stamps. It will contain all that has previously been included in the Specialized Catalogue, and Scott's Supplementary Catalogue of United States stamps. (This doubtless means Telegraph and Local stamps.) It will also contain all Postmaster Provisionals, all Confederate States and all stamps issued during the United States Administration of the Canal Zone, Cuba, Guam, Philippines and Porto Rico.

All United States postal cards will be included, as well as all Private Perforation varieties of United States Coil stamps, also envelopes, revenues, etc.

From the announcement, we believe that collectors will be offered a catalogue that contains everything in United States issues, both private and Governmental.

Such a catalogue has long been needed and the great interest in U. S. issues alone will make this book an exceedingly popular one.

The price will be \$2.50, postage extra, shipping weight 2 pounds and may be had from your dealer or from the Scott Stamp & Coin Co., publishers at 1 West 47th Street, New York, N. Y.

A Joke on "Pop"

A couple weeks ago, Bob Richardson of Akron advertised a Precancel Collection for sale. Shortly after the advt. appeared, Bob advised us that the collection was sold, said "the advt. would do no good, as 'Pop' (Walter Poppenger) had the lot down at his store to show to a fellow, and darned if he didn't buy it. What tickles me most is that this is one of the biggest sales 'Pop' has made, and you know his attitude on precancels."

Well, anyone who has been inducted into the Visiting Firemen by "Pop" knows his attitude, and since this sale "Pop" will have to get a new ritual worked out, for he certainly cannot continue with the one he has been using, after an event of this sort.

16c green Air Mail

No. 1301 fine mint Blocks of 4

@ \$10.00 per block

24c Red and Blue Airmail

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OMAHA—1c-15c, 2c-15c, 4c-75c, 5c-\$1.00, 8c-\$1.50, 10c-\$1.50, 50c-\$4.50, \$1.00-\$10.00, \$2.00-\$15.00.

PAN AMER.—1c-10c, 2c-10c, 4c-75c, 5c-75c, 8c-\$1.25, 10c-\$1.25.

ST. LOUIS—1c-30c, 2c-25c, 3c-\$1.25, 5c-\$1.35, 10c-\$2.75.

JAMESTOWN—1c-20c, 2c-25c, 5c-\$1.25, 1909 #367-15c, 368-50c, 369-\$2.50, 370-\$10.00, 371-50c, 372-10c, 373-50c.

PILGRIM—1c-8c, 2c-10c, 5c-75c.

WALLOON—1c-5c, 2c-10c, 5c-40c.

LEXINGTON—1c-5c, 2c-10c, 5c-35c.

NORSE—2c-15c, 5c-50c.

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BY WINDY WINCHILL



A Spasmodic Feature of Linn's Weekly Stamp News - - - Published If, As and When

REVENUES of the U. S. and colonies were in for a boom of interest . . . but the sudden death of the man fostering and guiding it has ended for the time the project . . . plans were to eventually catalog these now little known issues . . . the same fellow pioneered in popularizing two other specialties now in the lead in U. S. collectors albums . . . foreign revenues and foreign postal stationery similarly await only some persevering person to return them to popularity.

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The Phil. Agency has made a telling counter claim to the complaints they are slow . . . viz: that collectors' mistakes in ordering causes the delay . . . cachet directors can testify that a fair %age of collectors have a most irritating faculty of misinterpreting even the simplest of printed instructions . . . the dumbbellness of some of these people certainly gums up the works.

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One book you WON'T find in crash and most other cover collectors library will be Robson Lowe's new catalog of Br. Colonials . . . the preface makes it very clear in bloom' good English that the first mentioned enthusiasts are not much better than a pack of morbid, bloodthirsty ghouls . . . we rather expect the "ghouls" to retort with some nasty crack and Britains cavalier treatment of cover collections.

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Is the Precancel Bee ill? . . . not a word mind you, not so much as even the teeniest of wrist slaps was in the last issue to reprimand Walter Scott for his temerity in lambasting this touchy branch of the hobby . . . the attitude of hostility toward the Scott (not the above Walter) catalog by dealers is very much more apparent this year . . . the fact that much of the stamps in popular demand are priced on a net or variable discount basis is making all sorts of trouble.

MONEY MAKERS

25c, 40c, 80c Future Deliveries
THE SCARCE ONES, 10 of either 25c.
100 of either \$2.

Sets of Futures, 1c, 2c, 4c, 10c, 20c, 25c,
40c, 50c, 80c, \$1, \$2, \$3, \$5 and \$10.
Per 10 sets \$1.85 100 sets \$16

\$20 Future Delivery

2 for \$ 2.80
5 for \$ 6.75
10 for \$12.

All lightly cut.

M. W. BELCHER

4066 Warwick,

Kansas City, Mo.

The subject has caused more than one dealer's face to get even redder than it does at a 2 A. M. stamp party . . . you "50% off" hounds are warned to not get insistent on these terms . . . or you'll wake up to find yourself dead with a coroner's jury nodding their heads and muttering "justifiable homicide" . . . the day of every foreign stamp being purchasable at 50% or more "off" is past as long as the Scott Kitty and kittens remain on their present terms.

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We can supplement Pades comments on underpricing with a couple of star examples . . . the much mentioned 10c Sanchez-Cerro stamp of Peru which Scott lists at 8c . . . just try to get a copy at even the full cat. . . it has sold as high as \$10 and a recent writer mentions 50c as the lowest he has known . . . another is the 10 peso 1921 Mexican commemorative listed at \$10. . . just better than double face . . . the only offer of it recently was a French dealer asking 175 francs . . . over \$12.

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DID YOU EVER NOTICE THE PERUVIAN SEMI-POSTAL WITH PICTURE LABELED "SYMBOLICAL OF LABOR"? . . . IT SEEMS VERY APPROPRIATE TO US AFTER READING ABOUT ALL THESE STRIKES.

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For the fellow apparently is about to heave a brick! . . . now don't you union fellows get mad because . . . he was probably throwing it at a columnist, anyhow.

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Now that the movie "Treasure Island" is being shown by your favorite "stupendous, gigantic, colossal" picture house it might interest you to know that there really is a Treasure Island with a postoffice and everything . . . right here in the U. S., too . . . apparently it's a Boy Scout Camp on an island in the Delaware River adjacent to Hunterdon County, N. J. . . . was only a summer postoffice and covers didn't get very cordial reception for the Scoutmaster-Postmaster must have had plenty to do with droves of hatchet-carriers in his hair to bother with postmark fanciers . . . we'll just bet that Stevenson's original was a quieter place than its U. S. counterpart.

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The Russian first printed commemorative shows what is known as the "Washington hand press" . . . a recent Sat. Eve. Post had an old time country printers' story of the caprices of these atrocities . . .

something we've always suspected . . . but can't prove . . . is that Latin-American photograph galleries have a stock prop consisting of a coat with high chin-lifting collar, a pair of those enormous epaulets (seen only on stamps) and medals and yards and yards of gold braid . . . why do we think so? . . . just look at the identical clothes all the "spigs" wear (on stamps) . . . another reason is that since those epaulets cost \$30.00 a pair and up . . . and they seem to prefer the \$75.00 size . . . they couldn't afford it.

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Ever notice that Bolivar is the one big shot not wearing a flock of medals over his ticker? . . . seems the old boy resented all those who gave them turning traitor to him and otherwise being kinda ungrateful . . . so he decreed that no portrait of himself shall show any except the medallion at his throat containing some of G. Washington's hair! . . . so every time his picture appears on a Latin-American it emphasizes the old boy's revenge.

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Stamp exhibits are appearing everywhere . . . the Tuscarawas County (Ohio) fair lists them as a separate competitive group . . . that will certainly do the hobby good in those parts.

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Mike Eidsness is finding out that collectors don't swallow everything he says . . . trying to tell them that the Battle of Burpville commemorative shouldn't be sold at Burpville on the first day simply on the allegation that Washington cancels stamps better than elsewhere is currently believed to be one of the goofiest arguments ever seriously propounded.

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We've got a lot of the cancels put out from Congressville . . . they've a long way to go before perfection is reached.

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Johnstown, Pa.

Pittsburg in October

The Philatelic Society of Pittsburgh is now able to announce that arrangements have been perfected whereby quarters in the Keystone Hotel, Wood Street at Third Avenue, Pittsburgh, have been secured for its Stamp Exhibition and Open House, to be held Saturday and Sunday, October 27 and 28, 1934. It is not too early for all our philatelic friends in Pennsylvania, and the neighboring states, to plan to be with us for this occasion.

One hundred or more frames will be on display in the Red Room (the showing is limited to members of the Society), which will afford ample opportunity for viewing the exhibit under most favorable conditions. The Bourse will be conducted in this room, and on the adjoining balcony. (The Exhibition and Bourse will be open from 2 p. m. Saturday until 5 p. m. Sunday.)

Registration will be in the Red Room also. Reservation for the banquet (at 6:30 p. m. in the Grill Room) should be made as early as possible, so that no one will be disappointed. There will be little or no formality connected with the dinner. Lengthy speeches (and so-called short ones, also) will be taboo. Instead there will be a high-class musical program, and a well-known baritone will be heard at intervals. A small auction of 25 choice lots will follow the dinner (8:00 p. m.). At its conclusion the clans will gather. Visiting Firemen of Philately, and the Ladies of the Sprinkling Can Brigade will also meet to dispose of whatever business may have accumulated. In fact, there will be so many things on tap, that time will not hang heavily on the hands of any one.

On Sunday morning, a sightseeing motor trip around Pittsburgh is planned for visitors and guests.

For the information of collectors who may be visiting in Pittsburgh at any time, the Philatelic Society of Pittsburgh meets on the first and third Mondays of each month (there is no shut down during the summer months), at 8:15 p. m., in the William Penn Hotel. A cordial welcome is extended to all visiting collectors. Members begin to assemble at 7:30 p. m., to exchange information, stamps, etc. before the business session. This is called to order about 8:30 p. m., and is very brief, lasting but a half hour. An auction of an hour and a half duration follows. There are always a number of circuit books on hand for inspection, and also dealers' sales books.

The 1934 officers of the Society are R. R. Dickson, president; F. E. Bright and W. A. Low, vice-presidents; Jack Daub, jr., secretary; and Harry E. Huber, treasurer.

When organized on June 21, 1888 (with 7 members) it was the Twin City Philatelic Society (Allegheny and Pittsburgh were then, and until 1908,

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(Prices in brackets are for blocks)

1893 COLUMBIAN ISSUE

	Blox	Mint	Used
230 1c Blue		.11	.01
231 2c Violet	(1.00)	.15	.01
232 3c Green		.40	.20
233 4c Ultramar.		.30	.06
234 5c Chocolate		.60	.09
235 6c Purple	(3.00)	.70	.50
236 8c Magenta	(2.10)	.45	.08
237 10c Blk. Bro.	(4.75)	1.10	.06
238 15c dk. Green		2.45	.95
239 30c Or. Brown		2.25	2.15
240 50c Slate Blue		3.50	2.35
241 \$1.00 Salmon		7.75	7.00
242 \$2.00 Bro. Red		9.75	3.80
245 \$5.00 Black		21.25	

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288 5c Blue		1.25	.60
289 8c Vio. Bro.		2.00	.95
290 10c Gray Vio.		2.00	.40
291 50c Sage Green		7.00	2.75
292 \$1.00 Black		11.85	6.95
293 \$2.00 Or. Bro.		20.00	12.50

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294 1c Gr. and Blk.	(.75)	.15	.04
295 2c Car. and Blk.	(.95)	.15	.02
295 2c Pl. No. Strips of 3		.65	

1904 LOUISIANA PURCHASE

323 1c Green	(1.50)	.32	.18
324 2c Carmine	(1.50)	.27	.03
325 3c Violet	(5.75)	1.25	1.10
326 5c Dk. Blue	(6.75)	1.50	.85
327 10c Red Bro.	(15.00)	3.40	.95

1907 JAMESTOWN

328 1c Green	(.95)	.21	.06
329 2c Carmine	(1.35)	.30	.05

1909 COMMEMORATIVES

367 2c Lincoln	(.60)	.15	.05
370 2c Alaska	(.85)	.20	.04

1920 PILGRIM ISSUE

548 1c Green	(.35)	.09	.05
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620 2c Car. and Blk.	(.80)	.20	.17
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621 5c Blue and Blk.	(2.20)	.55	.50
Arr. Block of 4	(2.85)		
Centerline Block	(3.60)		
Set of Arr. Blox and centerline (include top arr. blk. of 8)	(17.65)		

1926 COMMEMORATIVES

627 2c Liberty Bell	(.45)	.10	.01
628 5c Ericsson	(.90)	.20	.10

1927-31 COMMEMORATIVES

646 2c Molly Pitcher	(.30)	.07	.07
647 2c Hawaii	(.52)	.13	
648 5c Hawaii	(1.45)	.35	
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517 50c Red Violet		.90
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S. P. A. For Collectors

One of the high lights of the S. P. A. convention in Philadelphia was the passage unanimously of a resolution introduced by Mr. Frederick R. Rice, President of the Collectors Club of Washington, Branch 5 S. P. A. This resolution was originally introduced in the Collectors Club of Washington where it also passed unanimously. The propaganda apparently was started by a group interested commercially in limiting first day sales of new commemoratives to Washington, and if that failed to at least get Washington included on every new issue as a first day city. Copy of the resolution as passed by both the Collectors club and by the National Society follows:

"In taking cognizance of the propaganda now being published in an effort to influence the Postoffice to issue new stamps SOLELY in Washington, D. C., or to make Washington one of the first-day cities on every issue, the S. P. A. desires to place itself on record as opposed to any changes which would divert attention from the section or sections of the country which the particular commemorative stamp honors."

Unless Collectors and Societies voice their views so the P. O. knows the real opinion of all the country Washington interests will dictate future policies.

Get busy Now! Write to the 3rd Ass't Postmaster General.

Looks Like Roosevelt

Our attention has repeatedly been called to the new 2c Parks Stamp which pictures Grand Canyon. It is said that if you hold the stamp in a vertical position, with the right end up, you can see a likeness of a bust of President Roosevelt. It is a fact that the features which one does see seem very much to appear like Roosevelt and if you want to call it Roosevelt, we will not argue the matter with you.

Want More Stamps

The Brooklyn Stamp Club at its meeting of August 20th, passed a resolution calling for a minimum issue of 100 million stamps of any of the commemorative issues, with apportioned smaller quantities of the values above 3c. The resolution also requested that the stamps should be issued to all postoffices in order that all collectors might obtain copies at face value.

Russian Stamps

Here is what the German Stamp-Dealers' Magazine "Der Briefmarken-haendler" has to say in their Issues of November, December '33 and January 1934, about the value of currency from Soviet Russia.

The Russian rouble is not money with official international value, but merely a medium for internal use. While it is intended only as a medium of exchange within Russia, it has no value whatsoever in foreign countries, and even internally fluctuates a great deal. The export and import of roubles is strictly prohibited, therefore is not on the same footing as other currencies. One can buy roubles not only for 15 to 20pfg. (6 cents U. S.), but occasionally for 5pfg. (2 cents U. S.). The rouble abroad has only such value as the buyer is willing to pay. Of course some money passes illegitimately (bootlegging) for the purpose to buy new issues of postage stamps but the Russian Postal Administration has seen to that, by placing a very small amount of new issues on sale at Leningrad and Moscow, but any amount may be purchased from the philatelic bureau, however at several times above face value. The Stratosphere set costs 5 roubles, Gorki set 15 roubles, etc. etc. The Post Office sells only the regular issues, none of the commems and new issues. To give the latter an official standing they are only sold at the smaller provincial post offices, but never in complete sets. In a few instances couriers of the diplomatic service receive postage stamps to be sold abroad in order to cover their travel expenses. The exportation of stamps by individuals is strictly prohibited, consequently they fetch good prices from specialists. Foreign visitors to Russia must pay the official price of 50 cents per rouble, but same can be purchased unofficially for less than 1-10th this figure from persons

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The german article is quite long. This translation however, gives the main points.

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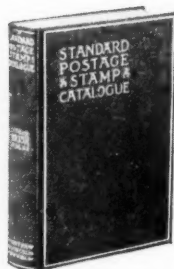
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Inquiries regarding U. S. Issues will be answered in this column. If a personal reply is desired enclose a stamped and addressed envelope.

Our request for accurate information on lithography in the August 18th issue has produced quite an array of details. Our thanks to Messrs. Dean, Hahn, Kennedy, Freeston and others for their kind assistance. With the information now at hand, we feel that a short summary of the various methods used to produce stamps, is in order.

Lithographed

In lithography, the design produced is neither raised nor impressed, but is perfectly flat. The following process is followed to produce the stamp: A perfectly flat and smooth stone is procured. On this the design is drawn with a lithographing pencil, which is of greasy chemical composition. The stone is then wet with water, then inked. The ink does not stick to the parts wet with water, but does to the lines drawn on the stone. A piece of paper is then laid over the stone and a roller presses the paper down firmly on the stone, thus transferring the design to the paper.

Offset Lithographed

In this the same process is followed, with the exception that the last step is doubled. That is, the design is transferred to a roller which picks up the design and this, in turn, is pressed against the paper to produce the finished product. The finished product is usually slightly "fuzzy," or you might say, out of focus.

Typographed

In typography, regular type or a line cut (zinc etching) is used to print the design. In this system the part which appears as the finished design is raised above the level of the plate and the ink is applied only to the raised portions. The finished product is flat but clean cut.

Engraved

In engraving, the design is cut into the plate. The ink applied is wiped off the surface and left only in the cuts. When the paper is pressed on the plate, it draws the ink out of the cuts, thus producing the finished product, which is slightly raised above the surface of the paper.

Mrs. C. S. Phalen asks for some simple method for making it easy to

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Triangle II—The lines within the triangles are thinner than without.

Triangle III—The space between the inner and outer triangles is without any lines.

Homer A. Howe wishes to know where the U. S. I. R. watermark may be detected on a single stamp in the 1895 postal issue. This is possible only when the letters I or R appear, as there is only one letter to a stamp and the U. S. of USPS and USIR are identical.

Mr. Howe also inquires the status of stamps from booklet panes when not in complete panes. These are considered as ordinary straight-edged copies.

For Mr. Howe's further information, the shape of the cap or caps on the 2c 1890 comes in various sizes and outlines.

Just as we close for the week, a card comes from George W. Hawse pointing out a face hidden on the 9c Park stamp. According to Mr. Hawse, "Place the stamp vertically with 'U. S. Postage' at the bottom. Look at the mountain behind the reader's right of the central peak and, if I don't miss my guess, there is a full face looking at you."

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« Editorials »

A CHANGE OF NAME Attention of our readers, as well as of our advertising patrons is called to the change of name that takes place in this issue. Heretofore, the name of LINPRINT has been carried in our pages as publishers of Linn's Weekly Stamp News. In the future the name will be LINPRINT INC. LINPRINT was incorporated on July 10. There are 2500 shares of stock at \$10.00 per share. Fifteen hundred shares of 6% cumulative Preferred stock and 1000 shares of Common stock. The stock is to be offered for sale at \$10.00 per share, one share of Common being offered with three shares of Preferred if desired. The Preferred stock is callable at any interest paying period after five years from date, callable at \$11.00 per share.

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We had hoped to have all details worked out before this date, but unavoidable delays due to the very strict and complicated regulations of the new Federal Securities Act, have made it necessary that some parts of our plans be changed, and now that we have things in the proper shape, we hope to have approval of these plans within a very short time.

The new Cover Plates for Linn's Weekly are ready to print from. We shall plan to put these into use soon, and believe that all of our readers will be highly pleased with the beautiful new dress that will appear on this paper.

A COLLECTOR SINCE 1882, SAYS George A. Katzenberger of Greenville, Ohio, on an 1893 World's Fair Governmental Pictorial Postal Card which he mails us from the Exposition at Chicago, and remarks that he bought the card when he was at the 1893 Fair, forty-one years ago, at which time he was 25 years old.

THE NEW YORK AMERICAN Announces that Mr. Justin L. Bacharach will edit the Stamp Review in its columns.

THE MUTUAL STAMP COMPANY of New York advises us of a mistake which they made in their advertising copy for the Imperforate 3c Mt. Rainier Stamps. The advertisement was on page 718 of our August 25 issue and offered pairs on cover at 14c and also blocks of four on cover at 14c. This latter price should have been 20c, and doubtless collectors who noted the two similar prices will understand this correction.

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Jerry Erikson of West Hartford, Conn., honors us with a single and pair of the new Britain 121 but just too late for the first report. This item was announced last week. Sorry, Jerry, but perhaps we will catch one later. Send them in, credit will be given.

We are indebted to Mr. E. E. Parker of this city for a check of prices in the catalogue. Changes in blocks and all are so varied, both up and down that I believe the total catalogue value will total up about the same as the last edition. We again congratulate Dr. Mitchell on his pricing, as does Mr. Parker.

Here is a list of some of the most outstanding changes in block and pair prices. Also a few singles. New Britain, Conn., No. 101, pair, from \$1.00 to \$2.00; Chicago, No. 125, \$1.25 to \$2.25; Watseka No. 102, .75 to \$1.00; St. Meinrad No. 121, .50 to .25; Saginaw No. 2 Block from \$6.00 to \$10.00; St. Paul No. 2, \$20.00 to \$10.00; No. 54 from \$15.00 to \$35.00; No. 58 from \$15.00 to \$25.00. A real increase in the latter two items. Liberty, Mo., No. 101 and 102 are finally priced in pairs—\$15.00 and \$25.00 respectively. Brooklyn, N. Y., No. 2 from \$15.00 to \$25.00; Sheboygan, Wis., No. 103, took a nice raise from \$12.50 to \$30.00.

Enough of the highlights as to prices, just order your catalogue and get to work. There is lots to praise in the new one and lots of work for all of us on our collections, so let's go into the new stamp year and get those missing spaces filled up.

Linn's Is Too Good

According to letters and telegrams coming to the office of Linn's Weekly, the publication brings some dealers so much business that they cannot fill the orders, and others so much business that they cannot handle it all.

A New York dealer advertised the National Parks 1c and 2c values used at wholesale, and he writes us, "I never experienced a response to an 'ad' like this in my 12 years of dealer experience. I am glad my 'ad' is out of your paper now on the Parks stamps."

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English Services

Warren L. MacKenzie writes that an experimental inland air mail service was inaugurated on August 20th, between Liverpool, Birmingham, Bristol, Cardiff, Plymouth, Southampton, and the Isle of Wight. Cows is the name of the city on this Isle. The rates not over 2 oz. being 1½p. and cards 1p.

Picard Flight

It is current news that Picard and wife, will carry 100 covers on their stratosphere flight shortly after Sept. 3, which are to be sold to collectors at a prohibitive figure for most of us.

Dedications

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Somerville, New Jersey, Post Office dedication will occur about Oct. 1st and covers for pictorial cachet may be sent to Fred E. Kaiser, of that city.

Trans-Atlantic Covers

With the completion of the S-42 which went into flying service this week, Pan-American Airways is said to have equipment by which 32 passengers and a ton of mail could be taken across the Atlantic by either the northern or southern routes in less than 30 hours of actual flying. The company is said to have made commercial arrangements with Iceland, Greenland, Newfoundland, Bermuda and Azores, by which either of these routes may be operated, so that it only remains for Uncle Sam to call for mail contract bids, which may not now be far removed.

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Armistice Day

An elaborate cachet commemorating Armistice Day, November 11, to be mailed from at least two different ships, will be sponsored by Harry E. Whitlatch, 1233 Wilson Avenue, Columbus, Ohio. Send covers to him direct, together with 1 cent extra forwarding postage. The design will be by Richell, whose drawings have set a high mark in naval cachets.

New Fancy Cancel

A popular ship is going to use a fancy cancel on Columbus Day, October 12, and covers for this will be handled by William J. Hager, 9011 Newby Avenue, St. Louis, Mo. Send only standard 6% size covers, ready to go, together with 1 cent additional forwarding postage, and covers must

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Black Warrior Cachet

The U.S.S. Tuscaloosa is named for "Black Warrior," which the name means, and Martin S. Day, 1327 West Erie Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa., is planning a cachet for this ship's pending cruise. Rush him not more than seven covers for the trip, and you'll get some nice ones back.

Tri-Color Navy Day

A beautiful cachet, to be applied in three colors, printed and pictorial in character, will be applied to covers on Navy Day by Alex. Hesse, Jr., 449 Troutman Street, Brooklyn, N. Y., and cancelled aboard ships. Not more than three covers from any individual and 1 cent forwarding postage must accompany covers.

Another Armistice

A printed cachet to be mailed from five different ships will be sponsored on Armistice Day by Leonard Rogers,

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257 Green Street, Fairhaven, Mass. Most naval fans are familiar with Len's nice cachets, which, as an artist, he designs. His Armistice cachet, November 11, will be the nicest he has sponsored to date, so get your covers off, with 1 cent forwarding postage added.

In Explanation

To various correspondents who ask me to print past naval covers to use as a sort of check list, let me explain that I would gladly do this if space permitted. But it does not, and I believe most readers prefer advance news on pending events rather than descriptions of covers received, and unless a majority write me otherwise, I will have to continue giving future rather than past news.

Linn's Naval Club

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In "The World in Review" column in this issue will be noted the statement that three values of postage stamps are to be issued by the Dominican Republic, showing the "Generalisimo Trujillo Bridge." This bridge is located about 91 kilometers north of Santo Domingo City on the "Duarte" Road, the main highway to Santiago de los Caballeros, and crosses the Yuna River, which lies between Sanao and the city of La Vega.

The bridge is made up of three steel spans, each 150 feet long, with a total length of 450 feet, and is supported by two abutments and two concrete pillars of the gravity type, rising to a height of 15 feet above the river level. The inauguration date was August 14, 1933.

(Revista Postal)

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UNITED STATES—Wisconsin Tercentenary Issue. Flat Plate Printing, Perf. 11:

#739—A131—3c deep violet

National Parks Issue. Flat Plate Printing. Perf. 11:

#740—A132—1c green ("El Capitan")

#741—A133—2c red (Grand Canyon)

#742—3c deep violet (Mt. Ranier)

#744—5c blue ("Old Faithful")

Air Post Stamps, Type of 1930 Issue. Rotary Press Printing, Unwmkd., Perf. 10½x11:

#1318—AP5—6c dull orange

Air Post Envelopes:

#2902—APE1—6c dull orange on white

(Scott's Monthly Supplement)

AUSTRALIA—Kangaroo type, w m k d. Crown C. of A.:

A1—2 pound, black and rose

(R. Roberts)

CANADA—Without any advance notice, which gave sufficient time in which to secure a F. D. C., a double sized pictorial was issued on August 16th, in commemoration of the One Hundred and Fiftieth Anniversary of the Founding of New Brunswick. Upright rectangular format, engraved, not quite as large as the recently issued Cartier stamp, design too elaborate to describe here. Perf. 11, Unwmkd.:

2c. deep red brown

Mr. P. F. Koch, of Columbus, shows us a copy on cover postmarked August 20th.

CAPE JUBY—Stamps of Spanish Morocco, 1928-33, overprinted in Black or Red, "CABO JUBY", in upper and lower case lettering, Unwmkd. Perf. 14:

A7—1c. bright rose (B)

A2—2c. dark violet (R)

"—5c. deep blue (R)

"—10c. dark green (B)

"—15c. orange brown (B)

A7—20c. slate green (R)

A2—25c. copper red (B)

A8—30c. red brown (B)

A9—40c. deep blue (R)

"—50c. red orange (B)

A4—1p. yellow green (B)

A5—2½p. red violet (B)

A6—4p. ultramarine (R)

SD2—20c. black (R)

(R. Roberts)

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC—By decree of August 11th, the issuance of the following postage stamps was authorized: "Design of the Generalissimo Trujillo Bridge". ½c. (250,000); 1c. (500,000); 3c. (750,000). Also 100,000 stamps—no design or color specified—of 10c value for International Air Mail. See News Item elsewhere in this issue for complete data on the "Bridge" stamps noted above.

(Revista Postal)

FINLAND—We are informed that a new 2 marks stamp printed in violet, will be issued

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(Whitfield, King & Co.)

GERMANY—The 8 pfennig orange stamps, Scott's type A64, both with the mesh and swastika watermark, exist with a curious variety in the sheet. Ten stamps in the sheet show the Gothic "D" in "Deutsches Reich" open at the top, instead of closed. We understand that these sheets were quickly bought up by German dealers and that the variety has been corrected.

(Whitfield, King & Co.)

INDIA—Cochin—Official Stamps. Type of 1923, overprinted in black and surcharged with a new value in red, as Scott's #136:

A7—6p. on 10p. Dark Blue

(Scott's Monthly Journal)

ITALY—Aegean Islands—As usual, Italy has issued one of their recent commemorative sets, in new colors, and overprinted in black or red "ISOLE ITALIANE DELL'EGRO", for use in these Islands. This time it is the Soccer Commemoratives that are so treated:

A173—20c. brown rose (B)

A174—25c. green (R)

"—50c. violet (R)

"—1.25L. gray blue (R)

A175—5L. plus 2½L. blue (R)

Also the Air Post values:

AP32—50c. brown (R)

AP33—75c. rose red (B)

AP34—5L. plus 2½L. red orange (B)

AP35—10L. plus 5L. green (R)

(Scott's Monthly Supplement)

KUWAIT—We are officially informed that the stocks of the 2 annas and 4 annas Air Mail stamps are exhausted and that when the existing stocks of the 3 annas and 6 annas are exhausted no further printings will be made. As these stamps have been on sale for such a short time they should prove to be quite good, especially the 6 annas, which has only just appeared.

(Whitfield, King & Co.)

MANCHUKUO—Type of 1932, wmkd. wavy lines, perf. 13:

A2—1y. gray violet

(Scott's Monthly Supplement)

RUSSIA—The Soviet printer evidently knows no rest. Another commemorative is on the way. These are to be known as the "World War Commemoratives." The 5 kopek symbolizes the preparation for war—"The Clouds Are Gathering." The 10 kopek shows a village in flames and the flight of its populace. The 15 kopek will depict "Before and After the Front." One half of this stamp will show the triumphal departure to the front, the other the return of crippled soldiers. The 20 kopek will bear a design showing the fraternization of soldiers at the front.

(Philatelic Magazine)

SALVADOR—New Provisionals, overprinted in black.

A116—8c. on 1 col. violet and green (350,000)

A114—15c. on 35c. scarlet and green (150,000)

(R. Roberts)

Philatelic Magazine also reports that 200,000 of a 2c. on 50c. were also overprinted, but we await further data before listing.

SOUTHERN RHODESIA—New Shade. Perf. 11½ comb.

A2—1p. deep scarlet

Also a new value which was due for issue the end of August:

A2—9p. olive green and salmon pink

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Precancels

Information regarding new issues and notes of interest on all Precancels, other than Bureau Prints, should be sent direct to the Editor of this column.
K. M. GIERHART, BALTIMORE, OHIO

Some wielders of the new metal handstamps have become very proficient with them. So much so that they can make a metal handstamp product look like an electro. Rockford, Ill., and Westwood, N. J., are two good examples in U-120. New Britain, Conn., in U-121 is another. In the case of the U-120, for the beginner it's hard to distinguish between it and U-12. One test, though, can be applied, a key to the detection of all three the metal handstamps, and that is the fact that the town name and state name are much closer together, vertically speaking, than in most any other type of precancel.

Some time back I listed a Mother's Day, and then later a Wisconsin from Gloucester City, N. J. I have been informed that these are not authentic. If you have any of these you now know their status.

In remounting my collection, I note from time to time things that are a little out of the ordinary. These I intend to note for the benefit of my readers. In Bay City, Mich., I note a very large list of items under Type 7, but very few stamps. None of the items listed are rare or catalog out of the ordinary, but still, in fourteen years of collecting, I have only been able to get three. Just didn't come my way, I guess. From Benton Harbor in U-5. I note that in the 1914 issue perf. 10 a 1c in blue ink is listed inverted, but none listed invert. in black ink. I have a copy, though, in black inverted. Whether this is an error or not in listing, I do not know. I also have a 13c perf. 11 and 50c up comp. perf. 1922 issue in U-5. In Belleville, Ill., I note a type listed as U-85. The only one I have in this type shows that while Belleville is in the style of U-85, Ill. is plain without serifs like U-86. Who has a number of these to check up and see if this is constant or not?

Paul J. Young of Norristown has been able to complete a set of Bi-Cents from the home town in U-80 type. No. U-80 was listed in the Bi-Cent catalog from here. Also in U-80 I noted a MARYLAND, OGLE-

THORPE, and BRADDOCK, 1c Yosemite, and a WISCONSIN. From Oaks, Pa., in U-122 I checked a MARYLAND reading down, and a MOTHER'S DAY across.

In a recent lot mixed items I came across a 30c comp. from Niagara Falls in U-15 double up. Then a horizontal pair of ½c comp. ords. from Memphis, Tenn., in Type II, one stamp showing a much larger face of type than the other. I have noticed this several times before, but this is the first time I have been able to get a pair showing this up. In looking over my 1917 issue and my older duplicates in this type, I do not find any specimens of this large type, which leads me to believe that this is either a repaired plate or a different one. How about it, you TENN. collectors???

Kimble To Be Guest Speaker

At the first Fall Meeting of the Gateway Philatelic Society of Chicago, to be held on the evening of October 8, Ralph A. Kimble, editor of the stamp column of the Chicago Daily News will be the Guest Speaker.

The meeting will be held in the club room of the Jefferson Park Field House at Lawrence and Long Avenues. All collectors in the vicinity are invited to attend.

Canton-Akron Picnic

The third annual joint picnic of the Rubber City Stamp Club of Akron and the McKinley Stamp Club of Canton, Ohio, will be held Saturday, September 15 at the Hoover Camp, North Canton, Ohio.

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BROADWAY CHATTER

By BI STANDER

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A boy also went into a stamp emporium and loudly asked for a crooner adhesive. The dealer said he did not know of any Rudy Vallee stamp. After thumbing through the catalog, it was found he wanted a Hungarian Kroner stamp.

Recently we advised in this column that the Acme Stamp Company had moved from 1476 Broadway to 108 West 42nd Street. This is an error that we are glad to correct. It should have been 126 West 42nd Street.

We hear that William Handshaw, the well-known stamp dealer of 64 Nassau Street, has entered into the holy bonds of wedlock.

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232	3c Green	(1.50) .37 .25	613	2c Rotary Print	(1.75) .40 .08	738	3c Mothers Day, flat	(.16) .04 .03
233	4c Ultramarine	(1.10) .27 .06				739	3c Wisconsin	(.16) .04 .03
234	5c Chocolate	(3.00) .60 .11	1924. Huguenot-Walloon Issue					
235	6c Purple	(3.00) .70 .55	614	1c Green	(.28) .07 .04	740	1c Green	(.08) .02 .02
236	8c Magenta	(2.00) .48 .08	615	2c Carmine Rose	(.55) .12 .02	741	2c Red	(.12) .03 .02
237	10c Black Brown	(4.50) 1.00 .06	616	5c Dark Blue	(2.00) .48 .44	742	3c Purple	(.16) .04 .03
238	15c Dark Brown	(11.00) 2.20 1.05	1925. Lexington-Concord Issue			744	5c Blue	(.24) .06 .05
239	30c Orange Brown	(16.00) 2.30 2.05	617.	1c Green	(.24) .06 .05	748	3c Parks	(.44) .11 .05
340	50c Slate Blue	(17.50) 3.65 2.35	618	2c Carmine Rose	(.55) .13 .11	745	6c Parks	(.32) .08 .04
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286	2c Copper Red	(1.10) .12 .02	629	2c Carmine Rose	(.20) .05 .03	1304	16c Dark Blue	(3.20) .80 .75
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289	8c Violet Brown	(9.00) 2.00 1.05	643	2c Carmine, Vermont	(.30) .07 .04	1306	10c Dark Blue	(.50) .13 .03
290	10c Grey Violet	(10.50) 1.90 .45	644	2c Carm., Burgoyne	(.65) .16 .12	1307	15c Dark Brown	(.80) .20 .12
291	50c Sage green	7.50 2.75	645	2c Carm., Valley Forge	(.20) .05 .02	1308	20c Green	(1.00) .25 .07
292	\$1 Black	11.50 7.25	646	2c Carm., M. Pitcher	(.30) .07 .06	1309	10c Deep Blue	(.60) .16 .04
293	\$2 Orange Brown	20.00 13.25	647	2c Carm., Hawaii	(.52) .13 .12	1310	5c Carmine & Blue	(.28) .07 .02
1901. Pan American Issue			648	5c Blue, Hawaii	(1.40) .35 .33	1311	5c Violet	(.36) .10 .01
294	1c Green & Black	(.60) .14 .04	649	2c Carm., Aeronautics	(.15) .04 .02	1930. Zeppelin Flight Issue. (+5%)		
295	2c Carmine & Black	(.95) .15 .02	650	5c Blue Aeronautics	(.52) .13 .09	1312	65c Green	(10.00) 2.50 2.50
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299	10c Yel. Brn. & Blk.	(7.80) 1.65 .50	654	2c Car., Fallen Tim.	(.24) .06 .04	1316	8c Olive Yellow Rot.	(.40) .10 .01
1904. Louisiana Purchase			655	2c Car., Ohio Canal	(.16) .04 .03	1317	50c Green	(2.50) .65 .42
323	1c Green	(1.50) .34 .18	656	2c Carm., Mass. Bay	(.16) .04 .02	1318	6c Orange	(.30) .08 .02
324	2c Carmine	(1.65) .25 .03	657	2c Carm., Charleston	(.24) .06 .05	AND U. S. IMPERFORATES		
325	3c Violet	(5.75) 1.25 1.10	658	2c Carm., Braddock	(.24) .06 .05	1902 Issue		
326	5c Dark Blue	(6.75) 1.50 .85	659	2c Carm., Von Steuben	(.15) .03 .02	314	1c Green	(2.40) .60 .55
327	10c Red Brown	(14.00) 3.40 1.05	660	2c Carm., Pulaski	(.12) .03 .02	320	2c Carmine	(2.40) .60 .55
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328	1c Green	(.95) .21 .08	703	2c Yorktown	(.16) .04 .03	343	1c Green	(.50) .08 .06
329	2c Carmine	(1.25) .28 .05	1932. Washington Bicentennial (+10%)			344	2c Carmine	(1.00) .15 .15
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1909. Lincoln Memorial			704a	1/2c Var. Broken Circle	(.60) .55 .51	346	4c Brown	(2.60) .65 .60
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370	2c Carmine	(.85) .20 .04	709	4c Light Brown	(.28) .07 .01	408	1c Green	(.30) .06 .08
371	2c Imperforate	(2.40) .60 .54	710	5c Blue	(.32) .08 .01	409	2c Carmine	(.40) .06 .06
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372	2c Carmine	(.70) .16 .06	712	7c Black	(.36) .09 .04	1916-17 Issue—No Wmk.		
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1912-13. Panama Pacific Issue, Perf. 12			714	9c Pale Red	(.52) .13 .02	481a	1c Deep Green	(.20) .05 .05
397	1c Green	(.60) .15 .03	715	10c Orange Yellow	(.70) .17 .01	482	2c Carmine	(.40) .10 .05
398	2c Carmine	(1.00) .23 .02	1932-34. Commemoratives and New 3c Rate			482a	2c Deep Carmine	(.40) .10 .05
399	5c Blue	(5.50) 1.35 .33	716	2c Carm. Lake Placid	(.12) .03 .02	483	3c Violet, Type I	(1.40) .35 .30
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401	1c Green	(1.40) .35 .09	724	3c Purple (Penn)	(.20) .05 .02	532	2c Carmine, Type V	(1.20) .30 .30
402	2c Carmine	(5.50) 1.30 .08	725	3c Purple (Webster)	(.20) .05 .02	532a	2c Carmine, Type VI	(3.60) .90 .80
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403	5c Blue	(7.25) 1.80 .28	727	3c Purple (Newburgh)	(.18) .04 .02	535	3c Violet	(1.60) .40 .40
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